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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
8 AT SEATTLE

9 PHILIP EMIABATA, et al.,

10 Plaintiffs,

11 v.

12 THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON  
13 TRUST COMPANY NA/JP MORGAN  
14 CHASE BANK, et al.,

15 Defendants.

Case No. C17-1302-JLR

ORDER DENYING APPLICATION  
TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

16 Plaintiffs, proceeding *pro se*, have filed an application to proceed *in forma pauperis*  
17 (“IFP”) in the above-entitled action. Dkt. 1. After careful consideration of the application, the  
18 governing law, and the balance of the record, the Court ORDERS as follows:

19 (1) Plaintiffs’ application to proceed IFP (Dkt. 1) is DENIED. Plaintiffs’  
20 application is deficient because they failed to comply with LCR 3(b). Specifically, plaintiffs  
21 failed to use the proper IFP application form approved for use in this district.

22 (2) Plaintiffs are GRANTED LEAVE TO AMEND, and shall have **30 days** from  
23 the date of this Order to correct this deficiency. Plaintiffs are advised that this case may be  
24 subject to dismissal if they do not respond to this Order or fail to correct this deficiency.

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(3) The Clerk is directed to send plaintiffs a blank copy of the Court's IFP application, a standard written consent for payment of costs form, and a copy of this Order.

DATED this 11th day of September, 2017.

James P. Donohue

JAMES P. DONOHUE  
Chief United States Magistrate Judge